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Dear Sir,

**Sub: News item clarification**

**Ref: your email dated 16.01.2015 - Rumour Verification - January 16, 2015 - Adani Enterprises Ltd (512599)**

"With reference to your email dated 16.01.2015, we wish to submit as under:

The Carmichael Coal Mine project was approved by the Minister in July 2014, after 3 years of environmental impact assessment studies

The assessment was undertaken in accordance with the terms of reference for the project, which included the required assessment of greenhouse gas emissions from the Mine.

There were multiple opportunities throughout the assessment process for all parties to make submissions which were subsequently considered prior to the approval decision on this project.

In line with the prevailing regulations, the legal challenge undertaken by Mackay Conservation Group leads to the judicial review of the process followed by the minister in granting the approval. In light of the robust process adopted by the Minister, we believe the legal challenge should be concluded in favour of the approval.

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This legal challenge initiated by the Mackay Conservation Group, and funded by Getup, is an act designed to frustrate progress on an approved project, and reflects dissatisfaction with the Minister's decision, rather than a genuine concern with regard to the assessment process. "

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,  
For **Adani Enterprises Ltd**

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